Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):* Yes.

(*Note.*—The extension of the Railway is not from the old terminus at Ernakulam, as put down in the question, but from a point about one mile north of this terminus).

ROAD FROM HUZUR JETTY TO RAILWAY BRIDGE—SCHEME FOR

134. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will Government be pleased to state whether they have received a scheme from the Cochin Harbour Authorities to construct a road from near the Huzur Jetty to the Bridge (Railway) head?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):* No.

APPOINTMENTS MADE WITHOUT REFERENCE TO STAFF SELECTION BOARD

135. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will Government be pleased to state the number of appointments within the purview of the Staff Selection Board which have been filled up without reference to the Board and also the posts so filled up and the names of the persons so appointed?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):* The time and labour involved in the collection of these statistics will not be commensurate with the purpose served by it.

ANCHAL STAMPS—INCREASE IN VALUE—PROPOSAL FOR

136. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* Will Government be pleased to state whether Government intend to increase the value of Anchal Stamps with a view to increased revenue?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):* There is no such proposal now before Government.

RULES UNDER SECTION 9 OF THE GOVERNMENT OF COCHIN ACT

137. Mr. T. V. Subramania Ayyar *(Nemmara):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether rules and orders have been made by His Highness under section 9 (*a*), 9 (*b*), 9 (*c*), 9 (*e*) and 9 (*f*) of the Government of Cochin Act, 1113;

(*b*) if so, will Government be pleased to place copies thereof on the Council Table?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No. They are confidential.

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